

IRRIGATION METER

Section 1. PURPOSE

In order to ensure safe and high quality potable water service, along with a fair rate related to irrigation requirements, the Bedford Regional Water Authority (“Authority”) has this policy related to irrigation meters.

Section 2. POLICY

- A. When an irrigation meter is installed for an existing customer, no additional Facility Fees charges are required by the Authority.
- B. A separate Deposit and Application Fee are required by the Authority for the installation of an irrigation meter and the meter is billed separately. More information about these fees can be found in the Rate policy and the Rate Description policy.
- C. Irrigation meters are charged a Meter Fee and a Meter Setting Fee, in accordance with the current Rate policy. Information about the fees can be found in the Rate Description policy.
- D. All irrigation systems must install a Reduced Pressure Zone (RPZ) backflow prevention device that is approved by the Authority in accordance with the Cross Connection policy.
- E. Irrigation meter installations will be billed with no sewer charges but all other water charges will apply as outlined in the Rate policy.

Section 3. REVISIONS

- A. This policy was approved and adopted by the Authority’s Board of Directors on March 26, 2013, effective July 1, 2013.